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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
COMMERCE AND TRADE

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

10:30 a.m.

Room 326 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade was called to order by the Chair.

Chairman Leutheuser requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Members present: Reps. Leutheuser, Garcia, Hughes, Kesto, McCready, Iden, Frederick, Hornberger, Rendon, Schor, Byrd, Geiss, Camilleri and Scott.

Members absent/excused: Rep. Greimel.

Representative Garcia moved to approve the minutes from the November 28th, 2017 meeting.

There being no objection, the motion was approved by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid House Bill No. 5235 before the committee:

HB 5235 (Marino) Labor; hours and wages; technical amendments to payment of monthly payday wages; provide for.

Representative Marino testified in support of the bill and the proposed (H-1) substitute. Questions and discussion followed.

The following individuals submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Robert O'Meara, representing the Michigan Restaurant Association.
Kurt Berryman, representing the Automobile Dealers Association of Michigan.
Wendy Block, representing the Michigan Chamber of Commerce.
Amanda Fisher, representing the National Federation of Independent Business.

The Chair laid the committee at ease at 10:41 a.m.

The Chair returned the committee to order at 10:43 a.m.

The Chair laid Senate Bill No. 40 before the committee:

SB 40 (Zorn) Economic development; Michigan strategic fund; definition of "qualified new job"; expand to include out-of-state resident employed by a company located in a county that borders another state or country.

Shane Preston, representing Senator Zorn, testified in support of the bill and the proposed substitute (H-4).

The following individuals submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Derek Nofz, representing Southwest Michigan First.
Dan Peat, representing Kinexus.
Patricia Herndon, representing the Michigan Bankers Association.
Jen Rigtterink, representing the Michigan Municipal League.
Amy Clickner, representing Lake Superior Community College.
Derek Nofz, representing the Kalamazoo Chamber of Commerce.
Derek Nofz, representing the Three Rivers Chamber of Commerce.
Dan Peat, representing the Tri County Manufacturer's Council.
Derek Nofz, representing the Southwest Michigan Economic Growth Alliance.
Derek Nofz, representing the St. Joseph County Edge.
Dan Peat, representing Cornerstone Alliance.
Derek Nofz, representing the City of Sturgis.
Dan Peat, representing Van Buren County Economic Development.
Derek Nofz, representing Owens Products.
Dan Peat, representing Vickers Engineering.

Stephanie Glidden, representing the Michigan AFL-CIO, submitted a card in opposition to the bill.

Representative Kesto moved to adopt substitute (H-4) for **Senate Bill No. 40**. The motion prevailed **14-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Leutheuser, Garcia, Hughes, Kesto, McCready, Iden, Frederick, Hornberger, Rendon, Schor, Byrd, Geiss, Camilleri and Scott.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Frederick moved to report **Senate Bill No. 40** with recommendation, as substitute (H-4). The motion prevailed **11-3-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Leutheuser, Garcia, Hughes, Kesto, Iden, Frederick, Rendon, Schor, Byrd, Geiss, and Scott.

Nays: Reps. McCready, Hornberger, Camilleri.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid Senate Bill No. 442 before the committee:

SB 442	(Kowall)	Businesses; business corporations; general revisions to business corporation act; provide for.
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Representative Frederick moved to report **Senate Bill No. 442** with recommendation. The motion prevailed **14-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Leutheuser, Garcia, Hughes, Kesto, McCready, Iden, Frederick, Hornberger, Rendon, Schor, Byrd, Geiss, Camilleri and Scott.

Nays: None
Pass: None

Representative Schor made a motion to excuse absent members. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

Vice-Chair Schor thanked the Chair and the committee for their service and announced this would be his last committee meeting as a Representative.

The Chair thanked Vice-Chair Shor for his service and wished him well.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:48 a.m.

Representative Eric Leutheuser, Chair_____

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